UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORP Form 8-K September 23, 2003

### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

### FORM 8-K

#### CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 or 15 (d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): September 22, 2003

United Therapeutics Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware

000-26301

(Commission

File Number)

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

52-1984749

20910

(Zip Code)

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

1110 Spring Street Silver Spring, MD

(301) 608-9292

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

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### Item 5. Other Events.

On September 22, 2003, United Therapeutics Corporation (the Company) issued a press release announcing that the French Regulatory Agency has recommended that Remodulin not be approved in France based on insufficient demonstration of clinical efficacy for the claimed indication. A copy of the press release is attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference.

#### Item 7. Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit No.

Description of Exhibit

99.1

Press release dated September 22, 2003

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### SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

### UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORPORATION

Dated: September 23, 2003

By:/s/ Paul A. MahonName:Paul A. MahonTitle:General Counsel

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